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WITHDRAW SUPPORT FROM PRIZE ESSAY

Admission of Negroes to Columbia Causes Scene in Convention.

LOCAL DELEGATES REPORT

Stormy Debates in Executive Session United Daughters of Confederacy.

With the return of the Virginia delegates from the general convention of the United Daughters of the Confederacy, held late in October in Houston, Tex., there develops from the reports submitted to the local chapters that in an executive session there was a most stormy debate over the question of admission of negroes to Northern universities, resulting in a general withdrawal of contributions to the Columbia University prize fund.

At the general convention two questions of burning interest and importance that came up for discussion related to the \$100 prize offered by the Daughters for the best essay on a Confederate subject written by a student in the Teachers' College of Columbia University, and to the scholarship in that college awarded annually to a descendant of a Confederate veteran.

Mrs. Livingston Rowe Schuyler, a Georgian by birth and a member of New York Chapter, U. D. C., being chairman of both the essay and scholarship committees.

The Boyer Controversy. A prize essay written by Miss Christian Boyer, of Teachers' College, Columbia University, and endorsed by judges who were the choice of the committee, was first sharply attacked on the ground of historical inaccuracy by the editor of the Confederate Veteran, issued November, 1908. The matter being brought, through the publication of the essay in the Veteran, to the notice of different chapters of the United Daughters of the Confederacy, protests against the subject were made.

Under the action of the committee, which resulted in a prize being given Miss Boyer, became general. Richmond Chapter being among the first to formulate resolutions expressing the attitude taken by its members.

The historian-general of the U. D. C., Mrs. J. Ender Robinson, of Richmond, who is a member of Richmond Chapter, sent out a circular letter to division and chapter historians advising them against encouraging falsification of history, and requesting them to use their influence to abolish the bestowal of an annual prize for a historical paper. She had letters expressing hearty co-operation from eighteen of the thirty-two divisions of the United Daughters of the Confederacy.

Statements made in Miss Boyer's essay regarding the lack of universities and churches in the South during the middle nineteenth century period were repudiated in a comprehensive monograph printed at her own expense. Copies were distributed by her to convention delegates at Houston, so that an intelligent understanding of what action had been taken and what remained to be done was reached.

Change Prize Plan. The chairman of a committee appointed by the former president-general of the Daughters, Mrs. C. P. Stone, to offer suggestions regarding the future bestowal of annual prizes for essays, was Mrs. B. B. Ross, of Alabama. She brought in a committee report recommending that the prize be competed for by students of the leading American universities of which Columbia shall be one. This recommendation created great indignation among U. D. C. members of New York Chapter. Parker is president. Mrs. Schuyler was especially moved, and spoke for length at a session to which she had not been admitted. According to her, there was but one American university par excellence, and its name was Columbia. Others thought differently.

The scholarship fund of Teachers' College, Columbia, and its award, called the great convention session in the Florida girl to whom the general U. D. C. treasury, but is raised by contribution, made this year as usual.

But the mistake of the prize essay contest has created a feeling of uneasiness, and Southern women began to feel the necessity of having the scholarship had been given this year to Florida, and when the president of the Florida Division, Sister Esther Carliotta, known here as elsewhere as being one of the most representative and patriotic citizen-scholarship girls, as well as a woman of remarkable sweetness and poise of character, rose in convention and at the last afternoon of the convention every eye at present was turned toward her in breathless interest.

"Madame President," said Sister Carliotta, "as president of the Florida Division I am feeling a deep interest in the Florida girl to whom the scholarship given by the Teachers' College, Columbia University, has been awarded. I wish to ask if all races are admitted to Columbia?"

Refuses Are Withdrawn. The dropping of a pin might have been heard in the pause that ensued before Mrs. Schuyler answered with some asperity that Columbia was a great institution and there was room in it for all races.

Sister Carliotta, meanwhile held her point and the floor. "Madame President," she repeated, "I have not yet had an answer to my question. I wish to know if all other races and the negro have admission to Columbia?"

Then Mrs. Schuyler picked up the gauntlet thrown down and said yes, but she said it tartly, with vehement gentleness.

"Madame President," then concluded Sister Carliotta, slowly and emphatically, "I withdraw from the scholarship fund the contribution I made from the Florida Division, the Florida Chapter of Children of the Confederacy and the local chapter of which I am president."

A long sigh ran through the convention hall. Then the tide of feeling ran high, and women's voices from every part of it were heard recalling money they had pledged.

ALL READY FOR COMING OF TAFT

Program Committee Reviews Final Details for President's Reception.

WILL SPEAK TO NEGROES

Twenty-five Representative Colored Men to Gather at Capitol.

With assurances from Secretary Carpenter that he could make no suggestion to improve the program, the committee on entertainment of President Taft on his visit to this city November 4 passed upon and fully approved complete arrangements for his reception last night. The only deviation from the original plan as outlined by the committee was that the President will breakfast at the Governor's Mansion instead of at the Jefferson. There now remains but the changing of a few minor details and the execution of preliminary plans, and Richmond will be in readiness to give the President a reception second to none that he has received during his tour of the United States.

Though the co-operation and enthusiasm of citizens in no way connected with the official reception of the President have been marked from the time it was first decided to honor him in honor of the occasion. Already arrangements have been made for the decoration of the Capitol, the City Auditorium and the Jefferson Hotel. A number of business men have been asked to have their cars in line at the hour of the procession. The committee calls the attention of those along the line of march to the fact that they are expected to decorate their dwellings and places of business in honor of the occasion. Already arrangements have been made for the decoration of the Capitol, the City Auditorium and the Jefferson Hotel.

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The President Approves. Business Manager Dabney, of the Chamber of Commerce, who went to Washington to submit the program to Secretary Carpenter, stated that the program would be entirely satisfactory to the President, particularly as it had been arranged with the view of giving him all the relaxation possible at the end of a very strenuous journey.

In reference to the Governor's invitation for breakfast, Mr. Dabney reported that this would be entirely to the liking of the President, according to his secretary, although no reply had been received last night from a telegram sent to Mr. Taft at Birmingham. The company, however, will be smaller than was at first expected, consisting only of the President, his secretary, Mr. J. W. Butler, Secretary of War Dickenson, Major Richardson and Postmaster-General Hitchcock, who may possibly be here. The rest of the party will be received for breakfast at the Jefferson Hotel.

As it now stands, the party will drive in automobiles from the Jefferson Hotel to the Capitol, breakfast taking up the line of march from there.

The Day's Program. The program for the day is as follows: The President and his party will be met at Byrd Street station at 8 o'clock, and the rest of the Governor's guests going directly to the mansion, while other members of the procession will go to the Capitol. Following the breakfast, the citizens, military and members of the party drive to the hall of the House of Delegates, where he will make an address to the Virginia Press Association.

The entire party in automobiles then behind the military, and in the following order parades to the R. E. Lee statue:

First, a detachment of cadets, Virginia Military Institute, and Post Band, Fort Monroe, Colonel S. R. Graves commanding, right resting at Ninth Street.

Second, R. L. B. Blues Battalion and Band, Major E. J. Bowles commanding, left resting at the corps of cadets.

Third, First Battalion, First Regiment Infantry, Virginia Volunteers and band, Major Hunsdon Cary commanding, will form on the left of the Blues Battalion.

Fourth, Battery A, First Battalion, Field Artillery, Virginia Volunteers (Richmond Howitzers), Captain W. M. Myers commanding, will form on the left of the First Regiment.

Route of Parade. At 11 o'clock A. M., by direction of chairman of parade committee, the Ninth Street entrance to the Capitol, Grace Street, and westwardly along Grace Street. When the left of the parade will halt. Upon the arrival of the President and his party at the Capitol, the line of march will be taken up along Grace Street to Fifth; along Fifth to Franklin, along Franklin west to Monument Avenue; along north side of Monument Avenue to Meadow Street; along Meadow Street to south side of Monument Avenue; down south side of Monument Avenue, passing in review before the President at a point about 300 feet east of Lee Monument. After passing in review the parade will be dismissed.

After the review, the President, in charge of the citizens' escort, will be taken for an automobile ride by the Davis Monument and probably as far as the Soldiers' Home, reaching the Jefferson Hotel at the luncheon, at which there will be 250 invited guests.

The party then goes to the Auditorium, where the President speaks. Immediately after speech, he will be escorted to the train, leaving the city at 5:15 o'clock for Washington.

Address Colored Citizens. As representatives of the colored citizens, E. A. Randolph, of George St. Julian Stevens appeared before the committee last night, asking that a delegation of colored people be allowed to take some part in the occasion. It was referred to the committee on program, which decided that a delegation of twenty-five of the city's most representative colored citizens should gather in the courtroom of the State Corporation Commission, and that the President be requested to address them for a few minutes, after speaking to the newspaper people. The names will be submitted to Mr. Dabney to-day.

Deane Sent to State Farm. Charles Deane, convicted of shooting Paul Temple, sentenced to one year in the penitentiary, was turned over to the penitentiary authorities yesterday. He will be sent to the State Farm.

MAYOR PRAISES RICHMOND POLICE

Says Highest Duty of Officer Is to Prevent Crime.

ANNUAL INSPECTION HELD

Brilliant Parade of Entire Department followed by Review and Drill.

Judging by the general verdict of praise, the inspection parade and review of Richmond's Police Department yesterday afternoon was the finest ever held. It was with the utmost satisfaction, apparently, that Mayor Richardson, when the men of both districts were drawn up in line before him on the south side of the City Hall, addressed them in congratulatory terms and expressed himself as believing them to be fully capable of preserving life and order in Richmond, and of preventing crime, the task of which he conceived, he said, to be the chief and greatest duty of a police officer. Both district forces assembled at the First Station at 3:15 o'clock, ready for inspection. The men were found to have conformed to all dress regulations and to have the proper equipment, and there was to be said no criticism against any. The station was then inspected and found to be in proper order and clean.

Brilliant Parade. Headed by Chief Warner, mounted, followed by the mounted squad in charge of Sergeant Sowell, and followed by the bicycle squad, in charge of Officer Bryant, with the Blues' Band, and with the patrolmen and the equipment of the department in line, the procession moved into Main Street.

Each district battalion was in charge of its respective captain—Captain Epps, of the Second District, and Captain Foot, of the First. Marching by fours, the battalions moved up Main Street into Fifth Street, to Franklin, to Adams, whence it turned into Broad Street, and so down to the City Hall.

All the streets were alive with people. Store windows and doorways were crowded with sightseers as the police went marching by. The mounted force was especially fine. One of the horses became frightened on Ninth Street, as the men were forming into line, and a child was knocked down. The rider was Officer Ryan, an ex-cavalryman, who showed good horsemanship in controlling his mount. The child was almost trampled upon, for the horse reared and plunged all over the street, finally falling heavily to the ground.

Ryan sprang from the saddle in time, and the child was found to be unhurt, with the exception of a couple of slight cuts, received from the glance of the horse's property. The child was taken to the hospital. Officer Ryan remounted the animal, and finally brought him under absolute control. It was the same horse that fell with Officer Perkins last year.

The Mayor's Address. At the City Hall several thousand people were gathered, and on the steps of the City Hall were nearly all the city officials.

Following the review and inspection, Mayor Richardson addressed the force.

"Gentlemen," he said, "congratulate you on your splendid appearance. This is a body of men of which Richmond may well be proud. You are the conservators of the peace, the protectors of life and property, and I think that the citizens of Richmond may well trust in your life property, and order to you. It is not enough merely to make arrests after crime has been committed. I conceive the highest duty of an officer to be to prevent crime. It is well enough to arrest those who have violated the law, but it is better to prevent violation, and it must be your chief duty always, in so far as you can, to prevent crime.

"You have proven yourselves to be able and efficient officers, but, above all, I pray you to be gentlemen always, so that any citizen of Richmond may ever feel safe in entrusting his wife or his child to your care. That you are gentlemen, and will be always, I have no doubt. Gentlemen, I congratulate you."

ENRIGHT IS NOT AFTER TREAT'S JOB

Former Deputy Expects More Lucrative Federal Office in Another State.

Michael J. Enright, who was deposed last spring as first deputy to United States Marshal Morgan Treat, will not oppose that official when his term of office expires next month. Ever since Major Enright retired it has been an open secret in Republican ranks that he would apply for Mr. Treat's position, with some assurance that he would secure the appointment. His withdrawal is taken to indicate that Mr. Treat will be re-nominated, although there will undoubtedly be opposition from a certain faction of the party.

It is rumored about the Federal building that Major Enright, who is now en route to Washington, has secured from Agent Chapman, an assurance from Washington that he will secure an even more lucrative appointment than that of marshal, and that he will be transferred to some department of the government service in another State. Exactly where he will be situated, although it is intimated that he will be sent to Ohio, where he formerly made his home.

Following his dismissal by Mr. Treat, Major Enright made a vigorous effort for reinstatement, and not until the matter had hung fire for several months, was the confirmation of the government's service in another State. Enright would not discuss the matter yesterday, except to say that he understood Major Enright would not seek the appointment. "There are plenty of men after the place," he said, "but I do not doubt but that I will be re-appointed at the expiration of my present term."

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Mrs. Radford Sues Henrico Railway for Fund in City Treasurer's Hands.

Despite the recent action of the City Council in accepting its assurances of good faith, the Richmond and Henrico Railway Company is still having its troubles. Within the last few days action has been brought against the company for \$5,000, and attorneys have been secured to push the claim to an early hearing. The situation is complicated by the fact that the \$5,000 claimed from the company is a part of the bond now posted with the City Treasurer on account of the company.

The plaintiff in the case is Mrs. Anna Radford, who dates her claim to the days of the Citizens' Rapid Transit Company. It appears that Mrs. Radford's husband was connected with the promoters of the original company, and loaned them \$5,000. This sum was used by the old company as a bond, which the Council had required when the franchise was granted.

After several years of inaction, the Citizens' Rapid Transit Company transferred its franchise to the present Richmond and Henrico Railway Company. The City Council at that time authorized the transfer and directed that the bond posted by the old company should be returned.

Mrs. Radford claims that this was not done. Her attorneys will maintain in court that the supporters of the Richmond and Henrico Company came into the Treasurer's office, returned the bond originally posted by the Rapid Transit Company. The same funds, it is claimed, were at once used as a bond for the new company, without the consent of Mrs. Radford. On these grounds, the old bond has been entered. It is understood that the plaintiff's claim will merely be that the bond should be returned to her, inasmuch as it was her private property, and not the property of the new company, with which she had no connection. It is supposed that in the difficulty encountered by the new company, the real ownership of the bond was overlooked.

The memorandum in the suit has been filed in the Law and Equity Court, and the trial may be expected shortly. The result will probably be an airing of the affairs of the old company and a possible disclosure of the backers of the new enterprise.

COAL COMING IN

Contractor Gets Busy and Believes City Hall Fuel Problem Solved.

Carts from the Richmond Coal Company commenced yesterday morning to deliver coal at the City Hall, several days behind the schedule. The representative, ex-Alderman John M. King, who, with an attorney, appeared before the Committee on Buildings and Grounds yesterday afternoon, according to Building Inspector G. W. Spoke before the Committee on Buildings and Grounds yesterday afternoon, when he said that the coal would be delivered by last Saturday.

As the new delivery was made yesterday, as the engineer is now burning the coal that was left over from the last assignment bought of the White Oak coal company.

Verdict for Plaintiff. In the suit of W. J. Parrish against the Henry W. Carr Company in the City Circuit Court yesterday the jury rendered a verdict and judgment in favor of the plaintiff. The action was for the recovery of an open account.

Laundrymen Plan Unique Exhibition for National Convention. A dispatch from Des Moines, Ia., received last night indicated a unique scheme for an exhibition of laundry work being planned by Richmond laundrymen on the occasion of the meeting of the National Laundrymen's Association at the National Hotel, next year. It is planned to secure a soldier shirt worn by the Governor of each State in the Union, to be washed in public. The application to Governor Carroll, of Iowa, for a dirty shirt seems to have started that official no longer ago.

The St. Louis dispatch says: "A laundry company of Richmond wants the privilege of washing one of Governor Carroll's shirts. In the letter requesting this privilege it is specified that the shirt sent to be washed must be one which the Governor has worn at least for two days."

"A letter was received this morning at the Governor's office stating that the National Laundry Association is to meet in Richmond next year and that the members of the Richmond branch of the organization desire the Governor of each State and other prominent men to send a dirty shirt to the convention so that the shirts of these prominent men could be washed at a public exhibition."

"Homer Wood, the Governor's clerk, in the absence of Governor Carroll, has been compelled to delay complying with the request, as he is not certain that Governor Carroll wants to send a shirt to Richmond to be washed."

Trustees Named. Judge R. Carter Spott, of the City Circuit Court, yesterday appointed W. J. Todd in place of W. A. Strickland, resigned, and Charles W. Hardwick and R. H. Hardisty as additional trustees for the Hasker Memorial Scholastic Church.

ANNUAL CHAMBER SMOKER TO-NIGHT

Business Men to Discuss Wharf Facilities and Industrial Advantages of Richmond.

Elaborate preparations have been made to make the Chamber of Commerce smoker at the Jefferson Hotel auditorium to-night at 8:15 the best in the history of that organization. More than 900 printed invitations have been issued, and it is expected that nearly all of them will be accepted, making the attendance a very large one.

Among the invited guests are the members of the City Councils of Richmond and Manchester, as well as members of the Manchester and Chesterfield Business Men's Association.

Addresses will be delivered by President W. H. White, of the Richmond, Fredericksburg and Potomac Railway, and by John C. Freeman, Mr. White will speak on "The Industrial, Commercial and Social Advantages of Richmond," while Mr. Freeman will take as his subject "The Necessity for Wharf Facilities on the James River." Business Manager William T. Dabney will present a review of the work of the Chamber for the past quarter, and will make a running report of the activities of the Chamber for the remainder of the year up until the present. Any of those present who care to make suggestions to the Chamber will be given the privilege of the floor.

ORGAN RECITAL

New Instrument Installed in Immanuel Church.

A two-manual tabular-psannetic pipe organ has been erected in Immanuel Baptist Church, at Fifth and Leigh Streets, and will be opened to-night at 8 o'clock, when a recital will be given by Ernest H. Coody and solo rendered by Henry C. Rueger. A dedication service will be held on Sunday morning.

The following program will be followed to-night: "The Star of Bethlehem" (Frost); "Romance in F" (Bach); "The Holy Night" (Bach); "Benediction" (Supplie); "The Year's Hymn Variations" (Whitney); solo, "One Sweetly Solemn Thought" (Ambrose); Henry C. Rueger; Berceuse (Hoad); Gavotte from "Mignon" (Thomas); "Merry in the West" (Rueger); and Cradle Song (Gullman); Triumph March (Sullivan).

LUCK ACQUIRED

Loth Fined Ten Dollars for Drawing Pistol on Officer Haller.

Bernard Luck, charged with having broken into the house of Charles Gregory, on Chestnut Hill, was acquitted yesterday morning after a hearing before Magistrate Lewis. He proved that at the time of the burglary he was at the fair, and was in no way connected with it.

Linwood Loth, who it was alleged, drew a pistol on an officer, was acquitted yesterday morning, when he was charged with interfering with an officer in the discharge of his duty. The charge against Loth of carrying concealed weapons was dismissed, as it could not be proven that he drew the pistol from his pocket. Loth claimed that he took it from a pile of clothes.

HOPE FOR PARDON

Convicted Gamblers Withdraw Appeal to Hustings Court.

Sam Kaufman and Charles E. Gilbert, who were convicted in the Police Court and sentenced to a heavy fine and to ninety days in jail on a charge of operating a gambling place, have withdrawn their appeal, and have decided to take their punishment. The men are now serving their time in jail, where they have been since they were convicted in the Police Court. The appeal was withdrawn in order to better the chances for a pardon from the Governor, application for which, it is said, will be made at an early date.

ETHEL FISHER DEAD

Figured in Court Trial Here—End Came in Charity Hospital.

Ethel Fisher, twenty-two years old, whose trial in the Police Court caused a sensation here several months ago, died yesterday morning at 10 o'clock in the Sheltering Arms Hospital. She had been a charity patient at that institution since October 1, and prior to that time had been at the State Reformatory for Women, where she was now serving her time in jail, where they have been since they were convicted in the Police Court. The appeal was withdrawn in order to better the chances for a pardon from the Governor, application for which, it is said, will be made at an early date.

Donation Day at Sheltering Arms. Donation day will be observed to-day at the Sheltering Arms Free Hospital. A committee from the board of managers will be at the institution at 10:30 o'clock to receive contributions to the maintenance of the institution, the only entirely free hospital in the city.

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RICHMOND MAY BE SIDE-TRACKED

New Coast Line Through Mail Trains May Not Stop Here.

To meet the growing business of the Atlantic Coast Line Railway, and thereby relieve in a measure the existing trains, a new train will shortly be inaugurated on that road between New York and the South. This train will have not only mail facilities, but a sleeper to and from Atlanta, which is an entirely new feature.

It is a question, however, whether or not this train will enter Richmond, or will go around it without even making a stop in the South's principal city. It is proposed to run the train from Clifton around by the Belt Line to Aca station, side-tracking the city completely.

This action is proposed because of the fear of the management of the connection company, operating the line between Elba and Byrd Street, that the citizens living along that line might oppose the running of an additional train and induce some action on the part of the City Council inimical to such use of the track. It is understood, however, that a movement has been started to have the Chamber of Commerce take the matter up and ask that the train be run through the city, with a stop at Byrd Street station, so as to afford the citizens additional transportation and mail facilities.

Effort to Secure Stop. It is believed by those who are asking the railway company to recognize Richmond as being on the map that the few who might be disturbed by this train will defer to the large business interests which would be helped by it, and that no opposition will develop on their part. They will endeavor to convince the managers of the connection company that they are not justified in their apprehension regarding the temper of the community.

It is proposed by the railway to begin running the new train about November 18, and it is intended before that date to tender the connection company ample assurances that there will be no objection on the part of the public to the use of its line.

The same question was agitated a number of years ago in connection with the through Florida trains. They were run through the city, but upon the request of the Chamber of Commerce an ordinance was enacted by the City Council allowing these trains to be run through the city, and they have from that time been so operated.

The new train now proposed is but an extension of the existing train service representing the growth of business during the past few years.

Proposed Schedule. Unfortunately, owing to conditions which exist at the initial points, it has been impossible to frame any schedule that would bring the new train through Richmond from the South at any other hour than about 4:40 A. M., and from the North at about 1 A. M. It is regretted by the business men that a schedule more favorable to this community could not be arranged, but it is recognized that it will nevertheless be an important adjunct to the business life of the city. Southern business, especially the traveler, could leave New York in the afternoon and reach this city at not a very late hour—that is, if the train will be allowed to stop in Richmond, at all, while mail and express facilities, North and South, would be greatly bettered by bringing the train through Richmond.

Throckmorton Safely Elected. Additional, though not official, returns from Henrico county received at the court-house yesterday shows that C. W. Throckmorton has been elected to the Legislature by a majority of 18 votes, the fifteen precincts having given the following totals for the contesting candidates: Throckmorton, 44; Yawter, 30; one of the closest fights in many years. The State ticket received a large majority, considering the small vote, Throckmorton running far behind. The official count, which will be made at the courthouse to-day, will not change the figure materially.

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SEABOARD PASSING FROM RECEIVERS

Directors Meet in New York To-day to Elect Officers.

John Skelton Williams is in New York to attend the meeting to-day of the committee of directors of the Seaboard Air Line Railway, which is formally taking over the properties of the road from the hands of the receivers. The work of transfer has been in progress for some time. More than \$12,000,000 is being turned over to the directors by the receivers and by the reorganization committee, this sum being largely composed of the proceeds of securities recently sold.

The Seaboard will start business, under the new direction, free of all floating debt, and with a considerable balance in the treasury, after the payment of all receivers' certificates and other current obligations.

At to-day's meeting there will be a discussion of the scope of the committee and arrangement for the work entrusted to it.

The names of the members of the committee have not been made public. It is understood in financial circles in Baltimore and New York that the offices to be filled to-day, in addition to president and one or more vice-presidents, will be that of executive committee, though the recommendations of the committee will go far in determining the number of offices to be created and the authority of the incumbents. Belief prevails in some quarters that the recommendations of the committee will be to have the committee to the board at its meeting one week from to-day, which also is the date for the annual meeting of the stockholders, though the desire of the committee thoroughly to study the situation with the view of recommending men who will be satisfactory to all interests, may delay the report.

ADDRESS NEWS GATHERERS

Distinguished List of Speakers at Correspondents' Annual Banquet.

Interesting features are on the program of the annual meeting of the Times-Dispatch Correspondents' Association, which will be in session November 9, 10 and 11. On the morning of November 10, the members will be addressed by President Taft in the Hall of the House of Delegates at the Capitol, special arrangements having been made for this feature, when the members of the Virginia Press Association have been invited to be present.

On the night of November 11 a banquet will be tendered the association, and the list of speakers is worthy of note. Among those who have accepted invitations to speak are: Governor C. M. Swanson, Governor-elect, William H. Hodges Mann, Mayor D. C. Richardson, R. E. Blackwell, president of Randolph-Macon College; H. Tucker Graham, president of Hampden-Sydney College; Judge Martin Williams, of Gloucester; and John Stuart Bryan, editor of The Times-Dispatch.

JUDGE WATSON MAY BE CANDIDATE

Nottoway Jurist